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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re: Application of:

Jung-Wan KO et al.

Serial No. 10/020,980

Group Art Unit: 2653

Confirmation No. 1189

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Examiner: Aristotelis M. PSITOS

For: RECORDING MEDIUM FOR STORING WRITE PROTECTION INFORMATION AND
WRITE PROTECTION METHOD THEREOF

REQUEST FOR INTERVIEW

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Applicants respectfully request an in-person interview with the Examiner and the Examiner's Supervisor before issuance of any further actions, including an Advisory Action. Applicants are also concurrently filing an After Final Amendment, in response to the outstanding Office Action, including remarks supporting the entry of the After Final Amendment.

Applicants believe that an in-person interview will help advance prosecution, further explain the presently claimed invention and the cited references, and immediately permit applicants the opportunity to address any further questions the Examiner may have, especially in view of the several § 112 issues raised in the last Office Action, which would appear to derive from a misunderstanding of the claimed invention.

The Examiner is respectfully requested to contact the under-signed to schedule an interview at the Examiner's convenience.

If there are any additional fees associated with filing of this Amendment, please charge the same to our Deposit Account No. 19-3935.

Respectfully submitted,

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